

Dear Coach,

I am pleased to inform you of an exciting new programme which will be delivered during the 2019/20 season.

Cambridgeshire & Huntingdonshire Coaches Academy will offer a bespoke, unique and exclusive education programme to a number of coaches within our Grassroots Football Community. You will receive the relevant training to develop and enhance your current knowledge throughout a yearlong programme offering exclusive events and support from the County Football Associations and the County Coach Developer.

This is a unique programme specifically designed to develop coaches and support through the coaching pathway.

You will receive the following:

- Bespoke CPD events
- Cluster group practical sessions
- Support from FA Coach Mentor programme

#### **Scheduled Programme**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Times *</b>	<b>Venue</b>
<b>Block 1 – 13<sup>th</sup> October 2019</b>	<b>Practical/Theory - Who We Are (Your Journey &amp; philosophy)</b>	1.00pm – 4.00pm	<b><u>St Neots Town FC</u></b>
<b>Block 2 – 8<sup>th</sup> December 2019</b>	<b>Practical/Theory - How We Play (Practice design)</b>	1.00pm – 4.00pm	<b><u>Bottisham Village College</u></b>
<b>Block 3 – 9<sup>th</sup> February 2020</b>	<b>Practical/Theory - The Future Player (player &amp; match analysis)</b>	1.00pm – 4.00pm	<b><u>St Neots Town FC</u></b>
<b>Block 4 – 5<sup>th</sup> April 2020</b>	<b>Practical/Theory - Plan-Do-Review (Your Journey / project)</b>	1.00pm – 4.00pm	<b><u>Bottisham Village College</u></b>

#### **Coaches Academy**

To apply for the Cambridgeshire & Huntingdonshire Coaches Academy *you will* possess the following:

- Minimum 1 year coaching experience
- 1<sup>st</sup>4Sport FA Level 1 or 2 certificate in Coaching Football
- FA Emergency First Aid
- FA Safeguarding Children
- FA Enhanced CRC Check

You will carry and uphold the following key attributes:

- An open-mind to coaching with a commitment to develop
- An honest, hardworking and trustworthy individual
- A positive attitude with an ambition to give players the best football experience possible
- Excellent communication and organisation skills

This programme will benefit all levels of coaching and we welcome applications from candidates who would like to learn and progress.

**How to apply:**

If this unique opportunity is of interest to you then please email your CV and answers to the following questions to [chloe.brown@cambridgeshirefa.com](mailto:chloe.brown@cambridgeshirefa.com)

- 1) Why would you like to be part of the Coaches Academy? (100 words max)
  
- 2) Since you began your coaching football journey, what action have you taken to develop and improve? (100 words max)

If you would like to discuss the Coaches Academy in more detail then please email [chloe.brown@cambridgeshirefa.com](mailto:chloe.brown@cambridgeshirefa.com)

The programme will be available to you for £20 per year and will begin on October 13<sup>th</sup> 2019. Please send in your application by Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September.

Please note: You must commit to all dates. Failure to attend may result in losing your place on the Coaches Academy.

Interviews if required will take place during September.